Organization

March 1960

I. Organization of the Eugenics Board.

A. Eugenics Board membership.

The Eugenical Sterilization Statute provides for an administrative Board to consist of the following five members: (1) Commissioner of Public Welfare, (2) Director of the State Board of Health, (3) Attorney General, (4) the chief medical officer of the Hospitals Board of Control, and (5) the chief medical officer of a State hospital for the mentally ill or a school for the mentally retarded. The latter person is to be selected from time to time by the other four members. The Board is to elect a chairman from its own membership.

B. Secretary of Board.

The Board is authorized to appoint a secretary, not a member of the Board, to conduct the business of the Board between meetings, receive all petitions, keep records, call meetings, and act as executive of the Board in such matters as may be delegated by the Board.

Communications with the Eugenics Board should be addressed to the Executive Secretary, Eugenics Board of North Carolina, Post Office Box 2599, Raleigh, North Carolina.

C. Eugenics Board meetings.

The Eugenics Board meets monthly to act on all petitions which have been filed and to transact other necessary business. A